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For: Methods, Compositions, and Apparatus For Making Nucleic Acids Having a Selected Affinity For a Target Molecule

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Date: December 29, 2000

New Application Transmittal

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith in the patent application of:

Abraham Grossman

for:

Methods, Compositions, and Apparatus For Making Nucleic Acids Having a Selected Affinity For a Target Molecule

This application in an Original (non-provisional) continuation-in-part application.

1. Benefit of Prior Applications

The application claims the benefit of an earlier provisional US application filed July 2, 1998, Serial Number 06/091,578; and an earlier Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) application Serial Number PCT/US99/15030 filed July 1, 1999 (Chapter II demand filed on February 1, 2000), designating the United States.

2. Application Contents

The application comprises, in addition to the present Transmittal Letter

fifteen (15) pages of Specification

four (4) pages of Claims

four (4) pages of Drawing (Figures 1-6) (formal)

one (1) page of Sequence Listing (with disk)

two (2) pages of an Oath and Declaration (with power of attorney) (executed)

one (1) page of Abstract

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3. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to Q-RNA, Inc. (formerly InVitro Diagnostics, Inc.) is enclosed with form 1595(filing fee is inclusive in the above amount).

4. Small Entity Statement

The inventor and the assignee of the present application are small entities.

5. Fee Calculation

Number Filed	Number extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$355
Total claims			
18	-20= 0 X	\$9.00=	0
Independent claims			
3	-3= 0 X	\$40.00=	0
Multiple dependant claims			
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Total \$355.00

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Assignment recordal fee \$40.00

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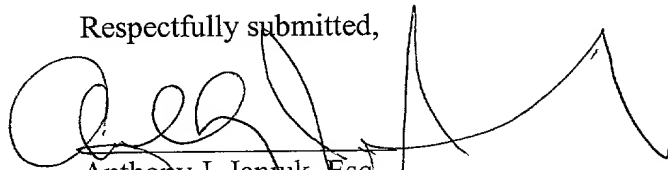
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Applicant respectfully submits the present application is in condition for allowance which action is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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